

# Monsignor Brien Lauds Area Tribute To Bishop

Rt. Rev. Msgr. William J. Brien, V.F. in a statement today, expressed his "heartfelt appreciation to the people of the Chemung-Schuyler Diocese for their spontaneous response to Bishop Kearney Day."

Among the thousands that overflowed the Rochester War Memorial last Sunday were the many members of the huge delegation from this Diocese who traveled to Rochester both by bus and private car to pay their respects to His Excellency Bishop Kearney.

In a special way, Msgr. Brien thanked the parish Captains "for their splendid cooperation."

According to reports, the excursion to Rochester not only brought honor to Bishop Kearney, but also provided an excellent parish outing for officers and parishioners of the various parishes. At the beginning of the trip, the Rosary was recited as a Parish Family Rosary. During the trip, songs were sung, jokes were told, and "a delightful time was had by all." A picnic lunch was enjoyed on the return trip home.

## All Souls Day Masses

Masses in Elmira area churches on All Souls Day, Saturday Nov. 2, are:

- St. Patrick's—6, 6:30, 7, 7:30 and 8.
- St. Mary's—7, 7:45.
- Our Lady of Lourdes—7, 7:30, 8, 8:30, 9 and 9:30.
- St. Anthony's—7, 7:30, 8, 8:30 and 9.
- St. Peter and Paul's—6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8 and 8:30.
- St. John the Baptist—7:30, 8 and 8:45.
- St. Casimir—8, 8:30 and 9.
- St. Charles Borromeo—7, 7:30 and 8.
- St. Mary's, Horseheads—7 and 8.

## Dance Postponed Due To Illness In Area

A Halloween Dance scheduled Saturday night in Columbus Center, Elmira was indefinitely postponed due to the high incidence of flu-like illness in the area.

The affair sponsored by Elmira Council, Knights of Columbus will be held at a more favorable date, according to Grand Knight Joseph B. Rempe.

## John Honor To Bishop

Members of St. Catherine's Church observed a Corporate Communion at the 8:30 and 10:30 Masses last Sunday morning as a spiritual bouquet for His Excellency Bishop Kearney, as a tribute for his Silver Jubilee observed the same day.



ALL RELIGIOUS of women in the Diocese of Rochester who could attend are represented here in Sacred Heart Cathedral at the Solemn Pontifical Mass marking His Excellency Bishop Kearney's 25th anniversary in the Episcopacy. The Mass was celebrated by the Bishop on Oct. 28, his 73rd birthday.

# 1200 Diocesan Sisters Attend Jubilee Mass

Twelve hundred nuns packed the Sacred Heart Cathedral Monday morning for Bishop Kearney's "Birthday Mass."

They heard the Rt. Rev. Msgr. James C. McAniff, vicar general of the Diocese, describe the Bishop who was marking his 73rd birthday and 25th anniversary of consecration as a "living example of what St. Paul said a Christian preacher should be."

"Orthodoxy, simplicity, and unflinching courtesy" have characterized the Bishop's sermons as "he consoled us and inspired us" for 20 years, said the vicar general.

"A generous God has given our Bishop many talents," Monsignor McAniff said, "but none has been used to greater advantage than his ability to preach and his readiness to preach."

He told the nuns, "You have shared in this preaching mission of your Bishop by your consecrated lives. Your cross which symbolizes your lives as you continue to teach God's little ones until you drop in your tracks."

THE BISHOP at the end of the Mass thanked the Sisters for making his "burden lighter" by teaching the children "the doctrines of Jesus Christ."

Bishop Kearney also expressed his appreciation for "the prayers which rise from humble convent chapels where dedicated Sisters have begged the great Shepherd of souls to assist your Bishop in his responsibilities and duties for the welfare of immortal souls."

The 1200 nuns represented 17 religious orders from every section of the 12 county Rochester Diocese.

## Parishes Enlisted By Bishop Kearney In Clothing Drive

His Excellency Bishop Kearney announced this week the participation of the parishes of the diocese in the Catholic Bishops' Thanksgiving Clothing Collection for the needy of the world.

This collection of usable clothing, to be delivered to the parishes during Thanksgiving week, Nov. 24-30, will seek to relieve the sufferings of the world's refugees, expelles, and distressed poor.

## Atty. To Talk To Friday Club

District Attorney Paul H. McCabe will be guest speaker at the First Friday luncheon club at 12:15 noon today in the Mark Twain Hotel.

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# CCD Congress Schedules Ithacans, Fr. Schnacky

A series of Lay Training Courses in the various phases of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine will feature the Eighth Regional Congress of the CCD in Albany. The Congress will be held Nov. 8, 9, and 10 with headquarters at DeWitt Clinton Hotel, Albany.

The lay training meetings will be on Saturday and Sunday morning and afternoon of the congress.

Theme of this Congress held under the patronage of the Cardinal-Archbishop and Bishops of the Province of New York is "To spread and more fully establish the Kingdom of God, in Individuals, in Families and in Society"—Plus X.

CHAIRMAN of the opening general session at 10 a.m. Friday, Nov. 8 in Cardinal McCloskey High School will be the Rev. Albert H. Schnacky, diocesan director in the Diocese of Rochester.

A Typical Meeting of a Parish Executive CCD Board will be presented by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Byrne, V.F. of Ithaca and the Parish Executive Board of the CCD on Saturday, Nov. 9 at 8 p.m.

Clergy, Religious and members of the Laity interested in the work of the CCD will participate. Parents, religious and clergy who are becoming more concerned with instruction of physically

and mentally handicapped children will attend a panel of nationally known and locally qualified speakers in special sessions.

## College Treasurer Is Corning Native

Coming — The Rev. Maurus Kennedy, O.F.M., son of former Postmaster and Mrs. John F. Kennedy of 239 East Second St., was appointed treasurer of Siena College at Loudonville, according to the Rev. Edm. and E. Christy, college president.

Father Kennedy, a native of Corning, was graduated from St. Patrick's School and Corning Free Academy. He later graduated from St. Bonaventure University and was ordained to the priesthood at Washington, D.C.

Father Kennedy taught two years at Siena College prior to entering the University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia, Pa., to do graduate work in finance.

Following two more years of teaching at Siena, he did further graduate study at New York University, returning in September 1956 to Siena where he plans to remain.

## Forty Hours

Devotions of the Forty Hours will be conducted in the following churches of the Diocese of Rochester:

- Sunday, Nov. 3—Corpus Christi, Rochester; Our Mother of Sorrows, Greece; St. Francis, Auburn; St. Jannetian, Naples; St. Joseph, Penfield; St. Joseph, Wayland; Veterans' Adoration, Bath; St. Charles Borromeo, Elmira Heights.

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## Hammondsport Lists Day Of Recollection

Hammondsport - Rosary Society of St. Gabriel Church, Hammondsport, is sponsoring a day of recollection Nov. 9 for all women of the parish. The Very Rev. John Murphy, C.S.B., president of St. John Fisher College, will conduct the exercises.

The day will begin with 9:30 a.m. Mass. Coffee will be served after Mass and at noon. Participants are asked to provide their own lunch. The event will close at approximately 4 p.m.

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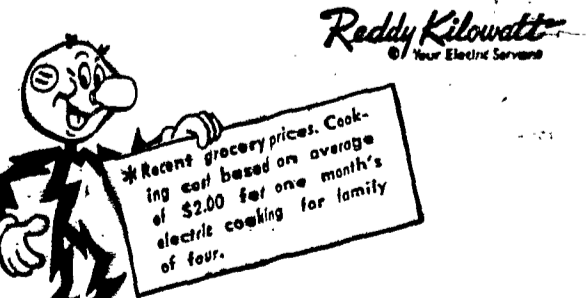
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These deposits may be made in any amount in multiples of five cents. A student may open an account for as little as five cents by signing a signature card and having his parents also sign the card.

A School Savings passbook will be issued the student for his use with future deposits by the Elmira Savings Bank. The book will be issued in the student's name and will be used each time a deposit is made.

## First Bank Day Was Wednesday, October 30th

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